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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR:

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Marshall McNeil, (Scripps-Howard) in the Washington Daily News of 9 March 1957 stated that hearings before an appropriation committee of the Congress revealed that CIA has 35 employees each paid $16,000 a year.

While the CIA Act of 1949 permits the Agency to withhold publication of "titles, salaries, or numbers of personnel employed by the Agency," it is also of interest to note that the Committee on Government Operations (Moss Committee) said in a report:

"It is obvious that names, salaries, and other information should not be disclosed in the case of sensitive agencies."

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